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**FEE TRANSMITTAL
for FY 2004**

Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)**2,074****Complete if Known**

Application Number	10/035,414
Filing Date	November 8, 2001
First Named Inventor	Steve K. Hsia
Examiner Name	Hoai V. Ho
Art Unit	2818
Attorney Docket No.	01770.0007-US-1U

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Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
1001	770	2001	385	Utility filing fee	
1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee	
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee	
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)					(\$) 0

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims		Extra Claims		Fee from below		Fee Paid	
Independent	Multiple Dependent	-20** =	-3** =	X		X	

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
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1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	86	2204	43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)**0**

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

FEE CALCULATION (continued)**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
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1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	1330
1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) **Publication and Deficiency**

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SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)**2,074****SUBMITTED BY**

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- ☒ Check in the amount of \$444.00 for deficiency payment
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Adjust RAM Sale/Item

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Reason:

CHANGING ENTITY STATUS

Sale

Sale Ref.: 01/08/2002

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Status: Active

Mailroom Date:

Type:

Name/Number:

Attorney Docket No:

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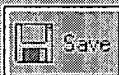
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REQUEST FOR ACCEPTANCE OF DEFICIENCY PAYMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.28(c)

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.28(c), the Assignee believe that although its status as a small entity was established in good faith and fees as a small entity were paid in good faith, it has been discovered that such status as a small entity was established in error. Accordingly, Assignee hereby informs the Office of the amount of the deficiency payment for this matter according to the following itemization pursuant to paragraph (c)(1), and forwards the deficiency payment to the Office pursuant to paragraph (c)(2).

04/08/2004 CNGUYEN 00000097 10035414

01 FC:1001 770.00 OP
 02 FC:1201 86.00 OP

Itemization

Date Fee Paid	Fee Description	Fee Paid	Fee Code	Current Fee Amount	Current Fee Code	Deficiency
11/08/2001	Utility Filing Fee	\$370	201	\$770	1001	\$400
11/08/2001	Excess Independent Claims	\$42	202	\$86	2201	\$44

Deficiencies

The total deficiencies for the subject application are \$444.00.

Notification of Loss of Entitlement to Small Entity Status

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.28(d), payment of this deficiency shall be treated under 37 CFR 1.27(g)(2) as a notification of a loss of entitlement to small entity.

Conclusion

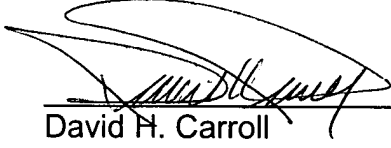
The examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned if there are any questions about this Request.

Respectfully submitted,

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